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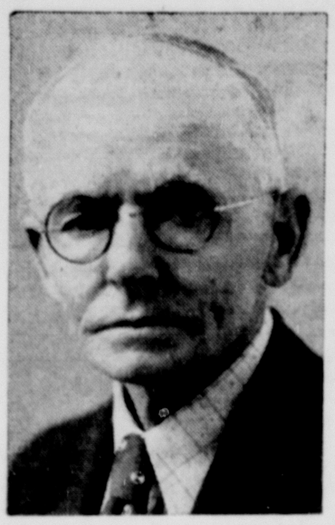
Men Home From the European Battle Front

J. S. Cleland Died Monday

Business Man Suffered a Heart Attack Friday and Taken to the Hospital



J. S. CLELAND

J. S. Cleland for 21 years a resident of Canyon, died in an Amarillo Hospital early Monday morning. He had been taken to the hospital in the night Friday night suffering from a heart attack.

Mr. Cleland was born in Newberry, S. C., May 21, 1875. He has been in the grocery business in Canyon for a number of years.

Funeral services were held in the Church of Christ yesterday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock.

Surviving are his wife; two sons, Lt. (jg) Robert Bruce in the South Pacific; Samuel Cleland, College Station; two daughters, Mrs. Louise Haliburton of Columbus, Ind., and Miss Anita Cleland of Canyon; three brothers and two sisters.

Pall bearers were Levi Cole, John Guthrie, R. L. Campbell, C. N. Plaster, George Archer, Dr. A. M. Meyer. Honorary pall bearers were: W. C. Miles, B. F. Machen, G. W. Cox, A. B. Duncan and R. H. Wright.

Burial was made in Dreamland Cemetery under the direction of Griggs-Warren Funeral Home.

J. M. McGehee Is Buried Saturday At Wayside

J. M. McGehee, former resident of Randall county but now a rancher near Logan, N. Mex. died in Canyon Thursday at the home of his sister, Miss Sallie McGehee, where he had been for the past several weeks.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Crabtree of Happy Methodist church, assisted by J. W. McCrerey of Canyon, at the Wayside Church Saturday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock.

Burial was made in the Wayside cemetery under the direction of the Griggs-Warren funeral home.

Pall bearers were nephews of the deceased: Lowe, Kelly, Dewitt, Melton, Myles McGehee and Jim Sluder.

Survivors are: four sisters, Mrs. Emma Rogers, Mrs. Mary Jenkins, Miss Sallie McGehee all of Canyon and Mrs. W. T. Lane of Wayside; two brothers, M. L. and John, both of Wayside.

Mr. McGehee was born in Quitman County, Ga., Feb. 2, 1861. When he was 21 years of age he moved to Dallas County, Texas, living there 10 years then moving to Armstrong County. He and his family homesteaded on the south banks of the Palo Duro Canyon, where is now the Wayside Community. He was among the first settlers of this area and engaged in farming and ranching there until 1928 when he moved to newly acquired ranch property near Logan, New Mexico.

S. H. Jones Broke Heel in Fall

S. H. Jones fell from a scaffolding at the Ray McReynolds home last Wednesday, breaking bones in his heel.

He was taken to the hospital for treatment, but is now able to be at home. Mr. Jones states that this is the first time in his life that he was not able to go to work in the morning, although there have been times when he did not feel up to par.

HAD FINGER SMASHED

While loading freight on his truck Monday, Rhome Mobley had the end of two fingers smashed. He will be incapacitated for heavy work for several days.

Last Men From Company F Receive Discharge; Others Home From Europe

Cpl. T-5 Jack Bewley and Cpl. Oran A. McBroom arrived home Tuesday night, having been discharged from the army. Sgt. Jack Inman received his discharge from the army at the same time, and is visiting with his mother in Waco.

The discharge of these three boys brings home all of the Canyon men who went into federal service with Company F in October, 1940. The company left Canyon in January, 1941. Company F is still a part of the army, and it has not been determined whether or not the unit will go into the Pacific. Only 10 of the 83 men who left Canyon with the company remained with the unit at the end of the war. Other Canyon boys had been transferred to other units. Owing to the fact that this group of men has been in service so long, most of them have been discharged.

Pfc. Judge Pierce will arrive in America today, and will be home in about a week. He is with the medical corps, serving in the hospital unit. It is not known whether he will receive his discharge. He has been in England in a general hospital.

Sgt. Roland Hicks arrived in Canyon Friday to spend a 30-day furlough with his father, Bert Hicks, before reporting to Camp Chaffee at Fort Smith, Ark.

Sgt. Hicks has served with the 44th division of the Infantry in France and Germany where he acted as section leader of his squadron. His division received two presidential citations, and he is entitled to wear citation ribbons for being a member of the division to stay the longest length of time on front lines, over 180 days.

Sgt. Hicks attended Canyon High before entering the Army.

T-Sgt. Joe Tucek is spending a 30 day furlough with his wife and with his mother, Mrs. Lena Tucek. He has seen 9 months overseas duty in Europe, participating in 3 major battles.

Lt. M. L. Simpson, who has been in the Pacific for the past two years, passed through Canyon and visited over the week end with friends made during the 4 years he was here in college.

Lt. Glenn Burrus, son of Mrs. S. J. Burrus, is spending a delay enroute furlough with his mother and other relatives. Lt. Burrus has been in the Army five years. Since receiving his commission he has been an instructor on B-24's. He is being transferred to the East coast to receive training in radar.

Sgt. Roy J. Stevens, son of Mrs. Lessie Stevens, who has served with the 321st B-25 Mitchell Bomb Group of the 12th Air Force in Italy, is returning to the United States for redeployment. He will arrive in the very near future, according to reports from his headquarters.

Lt. Sanford Black, Jr. arrived home Tuesday, accompanied by his wife, for a 30-day leave at the home of his father. He went overseas last November with the Medical Corps, arriving back in the states July 19. He will report back to Fort Sam Houston, where his unit is expected to train for service in the Pacific.

Randolph Wiseman Killed in California

Randolph Wiseman, son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Wiseman, was killed in an automobile accident near Salinas, Calif., Tuesday, according to a telegram received by the parents.

A message was received early Tuesday telling the parents that their son had been in an accident and had broken his jaw, his collar bone and had serious chest injuries. About noon another message was received telling them that he had died.

Mr. Wiseman has been in California two years. He had written his parents that he was baling hay for a neighbor. Since the message stated that he was injured while on the job, it is presumed that he was still working for this neighbor.

Three children and his wife survive him in California.

Funeral arrangements have not been arranged.

W. C. HARTER PROMOTED

Elgin Field, Fla., (Special)—Cpl. William C. Harter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harter of 2006 Fifth Ave., Canyon, Texas, has recently been promoted from corporal to the grade of sergeant, according to an announcement by authorities of the Army Air Forces Proving Ground Command at Elgin Field, Florida.

Prior to entering military service, Sgt. Harter was a student at West Texas State College.

Mrs. C. L. Thompson is able to leave the hospital at Temple, and Mr. Thompson will bring her home Monday. She underwent a major operation two weeks ago.

Absentee Voting on Amendments

Supplies Ready at Office of A. B. Holt For Vote on Four Amendments

Citizens of Randall county who will not be in the county on August 25 for the special election may cast an absentee ballot at the office of County Clerk A. B. Holt.

Citizens who are away and will not be home by that date may write for ballots, which must be returned before election day.

Four constitutional amendments will be submitted to the voters on August 25. So far little interest is being shown in the election, but all citizens are urged to study the amendments and then cast a vote on that date.

Annual Camp of 4-H Club Boys Is Being Held

Randall county is represented at the Panhandle District 4-H Annual Encampment which is being held this week at Lake McClelland.

Thirteen 4-H boys accompanied by County Agent W. H. Upchurch, left Wednesday morning for the camp. They expect to return to Canyon Friday afternoon. The boys making up the Randall county delegation rank high in food production for the first half of 1945.

The list of boys attending camp together with their rating figure showing the number of soldiers their production will feed for one year follows: Richard Beckman, 12.8; James Bible, 10.0; Ray Burrus, 2.2; Golden Currie, 32.3; Albert Fischbacher, 17.7; Carl Frische, 6.7; Eugene Frische, 6.7; Albert Hartman 3.7; Bernard Hartman, 2.9; Max Koch, 30.2; James Skarke, 5.7; Lowell Smith, 16.2 and Donnie Stroup, 15.7.

About thirty other Randall county 4-H boys are producing food at a similar rate. The above list completely fills the quota allowed Randall county at the Camp.

Mrs. Cecil Briggs Named Executive Sec. Red Cross

Directors of the Canyon Chapter of the American Red Cross have engaged Mrs. Cecil Briggs as executive secretary and have established offices for her on the third floor of the Court House.

Mrs. Briggs will answer all service calls that have been going to Guy Harp and T. A. Black. She may be reached by telephoning 444.

UNDERGOES APPENDECTOMY

Miss Loraine Campbell from Ft. Worth underwent an appendectomy in an Amarillo hospital last Tuesday.

Miss Campbell was spending a vacation in the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Campbell when she became ill.

IN AMARILLO HOSPITALS

J. L. Newman, surgical.
Mrs. H. P. Campbell, medical.
Mrs. Mildred Kyle, medical.
M. M. Morris, medical.
S. H. Jones, medical.
Mrs. F. K. Ratts, medical.
Orville Turner, surgical.
O. O. Baker, medical.

Mrs. P. K. Brian and daughter, were business callers in Canyon Saturday.

Lt. Robert Bellah Wins Commission Engineer Corps

LT. ROBERT BELLAH

2nd Lt. Robert W. Bellah, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bellah, finished O. C. S. at Fontaine Bleu, France on July 5, his son's second birthday. Lt. Bellah has been overseas 1½ years with the engineering Corps of the 3rd Army.

While in European Theatre he participated in five major battles. On V-E Day he entered O. C. S. He is now in a Clearance Depot near Paris, awaiting further orders.

Mrs. Bellah, the former Cecelia Staples of Amarillo, makes her home here with Mr. and Mrs. Bellah. She and her son, Robert Marshall, lived in the North and East near her husband while he was still in the States.

Lt. Bellah is a graduate of Canyon high school, attended West Texas State, was associated with his father in business and at the time of his induction he was employed in a War Industry on the West Coast.

Churches Holding Annual Camps in the Ceta Canyon

Student representatives of the Presbyterian and First Baptist churches have attended church conference camps during the last two weeks. The camps were held at Ceta Glen and the Methodist Camp grounds.

Anita Davis attended the district Presbyterian conference last week, where she was not only a student but pianist for the meeting. Rev. Robert Jones attended as a leader of the conference.

This week members of the Baptist boys' organization, the Royal Ambassadors, and the girls' association of Girls' Auxiliary attended camp. The main topics of the camps were based on the study of missions, and a returned missionary from China was guest speaker.

TAKEN TO PAMPA HOSPITAL

Mrs. Bess Robbins was taken to the Pampa hospital Sunday night following an illness of several days.

Mrs. Ray Robbins and son of Pampa visited her last week and it was decided to take her to Pampa where her son, Ray Robbins, could be near his mother.

JACKIE BRIAN PROMOTED

Ph M 1-c Jackie Brian has recently been promoted to that rank in New Guinea where he is stationed. He has been overseas for more than 16 months, but thinks that it will be still many more before he gets home.

New Owners of International Implements Buys From Thompson's

E. M. MYERS

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Thompson Hardware Co. has sold their International Harvester business to the Myers Farm Equipment Co. The change of ownership was completed yesterday.

E. M. and M. L. Myers are the new owners of the business. Both were employed by Thompson's for many years, and have a combined experience in the implement business of 25 years. E. M. Myers is Magnolia agent in Canyon and will continue with the business.

Thompson's have handled the International line in Canyon since 1908. The firm has retained the line of windmills, well supplies and heavy hardware, and this will be moved to another building in the near future.

Leonard Dixson Killed Saturday

Ladder Fell on Live Wire, Electrocuting Farmer Instantly

Leonard Dixson, 38 year old Randall county farmer, was accidentally electrocuted while working on a power line pole about three miles south of Canyon Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Dixson was killed when a gust of wind blew him off balance and into a live wire while he was doing some electrical work at the farm of Bill Martin, a friend.

His body was removed from the pole by employees of the power company.

The accident happened about 4 o'clock shortly before a light rain storm.

Mr. Dixson, who came to Randall county about four years ago from Oklahoma, lived on a farm eight miles south of Canyon.

Griggs-Warren Funeral Home of Canyon shipped the body to Shawnee, Okla., Sunday morning where burial was made.

Surviving are the wife, Mrs. Gladys Dixson; four daughters, Shirley, Sherma, Sheila and Jole; one son, Joe; his mother, Mrs. Nancy Dixson, Shawnee, Okla.; two sisters and one brother.

Arrowheads Are Awarded Men in 36th Division

Three Canyon men have been awarded arrowheads with the 142nd Inf. 36th "Texas" Division of the 7th Army in Germany.

Cpl. Oren A. McBroom, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. McBroom, T-5 Jack H. Bewley, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Bewley, and T-4 John S. McCuistion, son of Mr. and Mrs. John W. McCuistion, are the men.

The citation reads: each of these veteran members has "been awarded the Bronze Arrowhead to wear on his European Theater of Operations ribbon. The Arrowhead has been awarded for participation in the Salerno Riviera invasions when he made the D-Day amphibious assaults.

The 36th Infantry Division has seen action on two D-Days: Italy and Southern France. To its credit are such battles as San Pietro and Cassino, the Rapido River, and Anzio. It fought at Motelimar, where the German 9th Army was annihilated, and drove across the Sainte Marie Pass to the Vosges Mountains. It breached the powerful Siegfried Line defenses at Wissembourg and completed four hundred days of actual combat, plunging through Germany and deep into Austria."

Sheriff Cantrell Is Home From FBI Training School

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Cantrell and sons returned Saturday from Washington, D. C., where Sheriff Cantrell attended the FBI training school for three months.

Mr. Cantrell highly praised the training which is given in the school and felt highly honored in having been selected as a representative peace officer from Texas to attend this school. The work was hard but interesting in all details.

Mr. and Mrs. Cantrell took their son, Connally, to Johns Hopkins in Baltimore for a check up on his foot. They are highly encouraged at the report given on the boy's condition.

R-2 Certificates For Tires Invalid After August 15

Motorists who hold certificates to purchase tires should be careful to check them to see if they are the "R-2" type, since all outstanding R-2 tire certificates become invalid for consumer use after August 15, the District OPA Rationing Division has announced.

For dealers, the invalidation date is August 31. Dealers may also during the month of September exchange R-2 certificates on hand September 1 at OPA District Office in Lubbock. "However, consumers may not exchange their R-2 certificates if they have not been used before August 16—they will become invalid and useless," officials pointed out.

Purpose of the invalidation is to get out of circulation the easily-counterfeited old R-2 certificates. R-2A and R-2B certificates are not affected, since they are printed on government safety paper which cannot be easily counterfeited.

CEMETERY ASS'N TO MEET

The Cemetery Association will meet in regular session Saturday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock in the Thompson Club room. All members are urged to be present.

Taking Over in Berlin

U. S. Gen. Omar N. Bradley speaks during ceremonies of raising the American flag at Adolf Hitler Barracks in Berlin. At left is Maj.-Gen. Nikolai N. Barinov, Soviet commander in Berlin, and beside him a Russian army interpreter. At right is Maj.-Gen. Floyd Parker, commander of the U. S. First Airborne Army of Occupation. (Radiophoto.)

Happy Birthday

August 3rd—
Sherman Higdon
Erwin James Davis
Helen Hoffman
Miss Jessie DeGraffenried
Mrs. C. W. Fewell

August 4th—
Mrs. Ray Campbell
Mrs. H. B. Hales
D. A. Nicholas
Mrs. D. A. Nicholas
W. T. Oliver
E. C. Prichard
W. A. Black
Emil Schaeffer
Arthur Patterson
Joe Patterson
Clarence Leavitt
O. B. Vaughan
Edwina Maahs Cage

August 5th—
James Rigsby
Frank Earl Simon
Lucy Schoenenberger
Robert Byron Beck
L. E. Thomas, Jr.
Mill Money
Mrs. L. B. Rogers
Mrs. W. Holmes Smith
Mrs. Frank G. Harrison
Mrs. W. B. Walker

August 6th—
Kenton Wesley
Mrs. Betty Jo Moore Brown

August 7th—
Mrs. James Butler
Mrs. Jeff Wallace
Mrs. Walter Long

August 8th—
Henry Cone
Mrs. Al Baggett
Mrs. J. J. Walker
Wilson Campbell
Lyndall Jean Robinson
Mrs. W. M. Amason
Earnest Garrison
Opal Bragg
Earl J. Davis

August 9th—
Wayne Wirt
Joan Morton
R. L. Marsh
Leola Jones
P. H. Baber
Alfred Bellah
Emma Liston Coleman
Patricia Ann Williams
Dorothy Bogert

STORK SPECIAL

A son, George Martin, Jr., was born to Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Phillips who live west of Plainview, July 28 at Plainview. Mrs. Phillips will be remembered as the former Lena Wade Jennings.

Dr. Roy L. Johnson was guest pastor at the First Baptist Church Sunday evening in Hereford. Mrs. C. L. Culpepper, a returned Baptist missionary from China, spoke at the local Baptist Church in his absence.

Miss Malone To Retire Librarian of the College

MISS TENNESSEE MALONE

Miss Tennessee Malone is retiring as librarian for West Texas State after having served for 34 years. She was elected as a member of the original faculty but did not resume her duties until the second year of the college.

Miss Malone will continue to live in Canyon. She and her sister, Miss Fannie, have taken an apartment at the Joe Thompson home.

President J. A. Hill has made no announcement regarding the future work in the library.

Capt. Hinkle Is Given Discharge

Will Return to Position In West Texas State as Head of Journalism

CAPT. OLIN E. HINKLE

Capt. Olin E. Hinkle is now on terminal leave from the army and will take inactive status, subject to recall if needed, early in September. He will return to Canyon about August 15 to resume his work as head of the Journalism Department of West Texas State.

Capt. Hinkle has been in the Army Air Forces for 27 months. He served as special services officer, public relations officer and in recent months has been awards and decorations officer.

Capt. and Mrs. Hinkle and sons will visit in Galveston and Abilene before returning to Canyon. They will live in one of the Pueblos this year, since they sold their home before leaving for the army.

Rain Practically Misses Again in Month of July

The drouth record continues with only 1.25 inches of moisture falling during the month of July. As a matter of fact, .39 of an inch fell on the last day of June, which leaves July with less than an inch.

The total rain fall for 1945 now registers only 6.89 inches, continuing the new low record for the Panhandle.

Rationing Calendar

August 1 to September 1

Sugar: Stamp No. 36 is good for 5 lbs. sugar through August 31.

Meats and Fats: Book IV, red stamps Q2 through E1 are good for 10 points each. F1, G1, H1 J1 K1, become valid August 1. Q2 through U2 expire August 31.

Processed Foods: Book IV, blue stamps Y2 through N1 are good for 10 points each. P1 through T1 become valid August 1. Y2 through C-1 expire August 31.

Shoes: Book III, stamps one, two, three and four with airplane pictures, each good for one pair shoes indefinitely. No. 4 was validated August 1.

Gasoline: (Coupons must be endorsed on front). A coupons, 6 gallons each with No. 16 expiring Sept. 21. B-7, B-8, C-7, C-8 rations have a value of 5 gal. each. R-2, R-3 and R-4, 5 gal. (Valid for bulk delivery only); T coupons designated "Third Quarter" good for 5 gal. through September 30; D, one and one-half gal.; and E-2, E-3 and E-4, one gal. each.

Tire Inspection: T book holders every six months or every 5,000 miles, whichever comes first. New Mileage Rationing Record required to obtain gasoline rations. Application for passenger car tire replacement must show condition of all tires in use.

Rent Control Areas: All rent accommodations must be registered. Landlord who have not registered rented living quarters with the Area Rent Office should do so at once.

Fat Salvage: Every pound of waste kitchen fat is worth two red points and 4 cents.

Editorials

THE EDUCATIONAL GESTAPO

People of Texas have become accustomed to a row in the University of Texas. Some sort of row in the biggest educational institution of any state is not uncommon. The university has been the big news of Texas for several months, since the firing of Homer P. Rainey as president, and the various attempts to have him re-instated.

Rows within the state are of minor consequence. The university will not suffer because of these disruptions, which affect only the lives of men living in this generation. These will be forgotten in a few short years.

Now we have an outside influence which steps into the picture and seeks to run the affairs of the university. The Southern Association is supposed to be a crediting body. If work in the university is inferior, it has a just and perfect right to censure those who are responsible—the president and the guilty members of the faculty, first; and next the board of regents for having permitted such work to continue.

After the regents saw fit to fire Rainey, an investigating committee from the Association came to Texas. So far as is disclosed, every agency in Texas which had any information on the situation gave it to the committee freely and frankly. The committee made a report. The regents and the president were censored. The committee placed the university on probation, not because of faulty teaching, but because the so-called security of tenure in firing the president had been broken; and in so doing, the regents had interfered with the so-called scholastic freedom.

Who owns the University of Texas?

Who pays the bills of the University of Texas?

Who is responsible for the future of the University of Texas?

Is it this Association of educational gestapo, or is it the people of Texas?

Any one with a thimbleful of sense knows that the Association has never contributed a thin dime to the University of Texas. And since the university belongs to the people, we maintain that the people of Texas have the right to dictate who shall be president of the university; who shall teach in the university; how they shall spend the people's money.

The committee condemned in part the administration of Rainey. If the committee told the truth, are we to assume that the guilty president shall be kept as head of the greatest educational institution in Texas, and that the regents shall have no power to remove him, regardless of his guilt?

A large number of the faculty members of the university recently presented to the regents a signed statement in which they maintain that the regents have in no way interfered with this mythical "scholastic freedom." Did these faculty members sign a brazen lie, or are they telling the truth? We prefer to think that they know what they are donig.

Practically a new board of regents is in charge of the affairs of the university since the blow up in which Rainey lost his job. The Governor was condemned by the pro-Rainey crowd because he did not select men whom he had pledged to re-instate Rainey. The law of Texas proscribed that the regents have the responsibility of the university; not the Governor. Yet, if the Governor had followed the will of this minority group, he would have violated his oath of office, and would be subject to impeachment for trying to be boss of the university, while he was serving as Governor. Likewise, any regent would have accepted office under the pledge of being either for or against Rainey; he would likewise be subject to impeachment.

Suppose the Association is right in its present position, what will happen next? The regents would be helpless in firing any president, or any member of the faculty, regardless of what might go on in the university. If the Association decided that every faculty member should get an increased salary, or the institution would be penalized, then the Association would hold the whip hand over the legislature. It would be a damnable position when the people of Texas lost control of the university. The same would hold true with every other educational institution in Texas; and the Association could then likewise attempt to extend this gestapo control over the common schools of the state.

So far as we are concerned, we hope that the regents will tell the Association to go to hades, and will continue to run the affairs of the university.

The British defeated Churchill and elevated Clement Attlee as prime minister. Social unrest at home was the cause. Churchill stood for the old order of things, while the Labor Party demanded the rights of the common man. These have long been denied the people of England. Churchill not only has imposed an imperialistic rule at home, but has kept in power this breed in both Spain and Greece. Attlee makes it clear that winning the war over the Japs is the first big problem; after that social reforms will be started. As a quiet hint not to expect too much, let it be remembered that the British Empire is still predominant in the minds of all Englishmen. Therefore, the foreign policy of Attlee will probably be about the same as that of other prime ministers.

Japan sent a peace feeler to the Big Three meeting. The war lords do not like "unconditional surrender." They did not want American troops acting as policemen on the home islands, interferring with their mode of life. The United States, Britain and China make it plain that the people of Japan must surrender now, or suffer the consequences. If they will look at Germany, they should be able to see what it will cost not to surrender in time to save part of their home islands. Observers now predict that the war with Japan should end in 1945.

The other day we talked to a soldier who was connected with a German prisoner of war camp. He stated that the young Germans are not whipped, and have no intention of giving up. These are the violent Nazis. They have been brought up under the Hitler system. Their attitude is that Hitler has failed; but that when they reach home, the millions of released prisoners will be able to organize a force that will win War III. That is, of course, if the United Nations withdraw and leave them alone, as we did in 1919.

The Big Three has been talking about how much reparations the Germans can pay. Stalin is asking no questions. It is said that Russia is taking from the Germans everything that the Russians can use. The stripped territory will have to get along as best it can. It reminds us of the story told by a returned veteran. His outfit liberated a group of Russian soldiers. Their first act was to pilfer from the Germans then start home carrying everything that would be useful to them.

Citizens of New York City have learned one thing—there is no substitute for newspapers. In spite of the constant blare of news and commentators over the radio, people of that city voted 89.2 per cent in favor of the newspapers as news agencies. They were deprived of news service by an unauthorized strike of newspaper distributors. When the war is over, newspapers will give better service to their readers than is now possible. Those who think that the radio will become the greatest factor in dispensing news are doomed to disappointment.

The government proposes to sell the Willow Run bomber plant, and other government-built war plants for 10 cents on the dollar. The unwise bureaucrats would take as little as 5 cents on the dollar, if they cannot get more. A navy officer comes forth with the sensible solution. After the war we shall tie up all our surplus ships to await another emergency. The ships will not be scrapped simply because we do not need them in the immediate future. They would probably be out of date if another war comes along, but they would serve a purpose. Remember the 50 old destroyers which we gave to England, and the fine service they rendered in saving that nation. All right, why then junk the war plants which were built by the taxpayers money? Why give away the land and the machinery? Why give away the airplanes, and other war machines? If all of these munitions and all of these factories are kept in tact, aggressor nations would know that we could start making war materials on short notice. The San Francisco Peace charter may not work. We may need war materials at an earlier date than any of us wish. But a good backlog of materials and war plants would be a handy method to encourage other nations to behave themselves.

America is the first major nation to ratify the San Francisco Peace Pact. The vote of the Senate Saturday was 89 to 2. This does not mean that all isolationists are whipped. On the other hand, President Truman must face the Senate with the peace agreement which will outline the active part that our troops will take to preserve world peace. Senator Wheeler and other isolationists are said to be gunning for this agreement. They are going to demand that it be treated as a peace treaty wherein the Senate must ratify by a two-thirds vote. Truman is going to try and outsmart the isolationist by demanding that it be passed like any other law, which would require only a majority in both Houses of Congress. The people of America are determined that this shall be the last world war, if this nation can help it. Those narrow-minded Senators who are determined to block such peace movements will not prevail, as they did in 1919.

Of the original Big Three, Stalin alone remains. It is fortunate that Truman was so well trained for leadership of America, and it is fortunate that Churchill had the good judgment to take Attlee to Potsdam with him for the present conflab. The ultimate goal of the three nations will not be upset by the defeat of Churchill.

Henry Morgenthau has made it clear that President Truman asked for his resignation. That should be ample warning to Harold Ickes, who is said to be worried about the future of his job.

The national corn-husking contests are held under the jurisdiction of the American Association of Middle-Western Farm Newspapers.

Whiskey was used as a measure of value in South Carolina in 1780, after the collapse of the continental currency.

OUR DEMOCRACY——by Mat

Town Meeting

American Expression of Popular Government.

AS SOON AS THE EARLY NEW ENGLAND SETTLERS CLEARED THEIR LAND AND BUILT THEIR HOMES—THEY INSTITUTED THE TOWN MEETING. THERE EVERYONE HAD THE RIGHT TO SPEAK HIS MIND—MAKE RULES FOR THE COMMON WELFARE—PLAN COOPERATIVELY FOR THE COMMUNITY'S FUTURE.

TODAY, TOWN MEETINGS ARE STILL HELD IN MANY COMMUNITIES—*AND*

THROUGHOUT THE LAND THE PRINCIPLE LIVES AND IS CHERISHED *—AS DEMOCRACY SPEAKS.*

ARE YOUR FEET KILLING YOU?

More than likely it is the fault of your run-over shoes. Bring your shoes in and have them renewed at a very small cost. It will help those sore feet and you will be smiling before long.

WORTH'S Shoe Shop

Revival Will Start At Fairview Church

Rev. M. G. Upton, pastor of the Palo Duro Baptist church, will be the evangelist in a series of revival services to be held at the Fairview church, beginning August 2 through August 8. Everyone is urged to attend.

Weather conditions cause the highest per cent of accidents to passenger-carrying airplanes. Fog is one of the greatest menaces to fliers.

The boll weevil entered Texas from Mexico in 1892 and was first found in cotton fields around Brownsville.

There are two kinds of women: those who keep their love letters; and those whose love letters keep them.

Experiments in the Big Bend area of Texas show that guayule rubber can be produced at a cost of 66½ cents per pound.

Most every family would be improved if the parents would get back on spanking terms with their children.

The average person speaks about 10,000 words a day. We've always said that the wife was far above the average.

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The Green Mountains of Vermont belong to the Appalachian Range.

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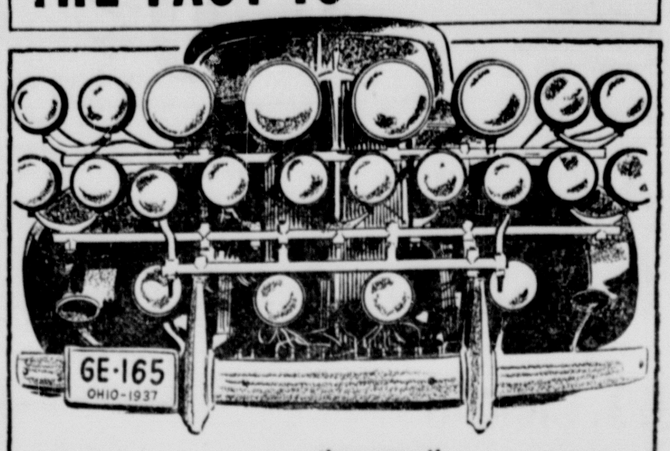

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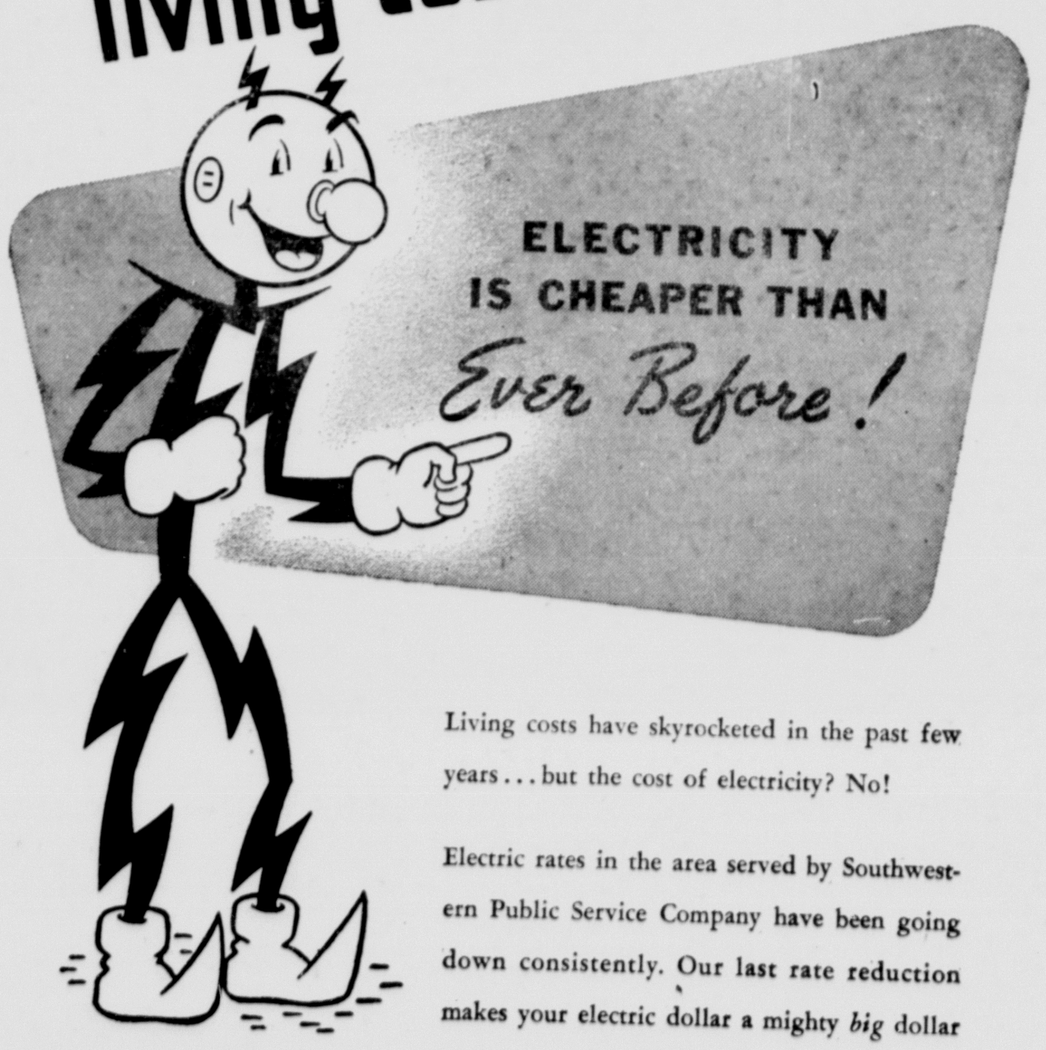

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Social Events of the Week Clubs and Organizations

Lt. Foster Weds Miss Nedra Evans

In a double ring ceremony performed at the Methodist Church of Post, Texas, Miss Nedra Jo Evans, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Boone Evans of Post, became the bride of Lt. Donnell Foster, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Foster, last Friday night.

The bride was attended by her sister, Mrs. Bill Duncan. Lt. Gerald McKinley of Albany, N. Y. and stationed at San Marcos Army Air Field, was best man. Lt. Bill Duncan of Wellington and Jack Evans of Amarillo served as ushers.

After the ceremony a reception was held in the home of the bride's parents.

Mrs. Foster received her education in the Post schools and West Texas State. Last year she was a teacher at Post.

Lt. Foster graduated from Canyon high school and later received a B. S. degree in Physics at West Texas State. He received his commission at the University of Southern California at Los Angeles. He is a meteorologist, stationed at San Marcos, Texas, where the couple will make their home.

ZITA 4-H CLUB ORGANIZES IN HALES HOME JULY 23

Girls of the Zita Community met at the home of Jane and Martha Hales for the purpose of organizing a 4-H club on July 23.

Officers elected were: President, Jane Hales; vice president, Nelda Ruthardt; secretary-treasurer, Anita Ruthardt; reporter, Carol Marie Rose; song leader, Martha Hales; sponsor, Mrs. Forrest Gruner.

Miss Lou Ella Patterson, Home Demonstration Agent, and Mrs. Gruner helped the girls to make animal lapel pins from old felt hats.

Refreshments were served to Anita, Nelda and Noradell Ruthardt, Carol Marie and Flora Jane Rose, Ruby Lee Hales, Mrs. Gruner, Miss Patterson and the hostesses, Jane and Martha Hales.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Gruner, August 6.

Buy Another War Bond Today!

Lt. Merrie E. Duflot Bride of Capt. Kendrick

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Duflot are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Merrie Elizabeth, to Capt. Frederick W. Kendrick of Toledo, Ohio. The ceremony took place Friday, July 20, in the post chapel of the Schick General Hospital, Clinton, Ia. Father Hubert Arliss officiated at the marriage rites.

The bride, wearing white and carrying a bouquet of white roses, was attended by Lt. Rita Kleffner. Martin Oess of Toledo served as best man for Captain Kendrick.

Mrs. Kendrick is a graduate of West Texas State College where she was a member of Pi Omega sorority and Alpha Chi and was chosen as a representative of the college in the Who's Who of Students in American Universities and Colleges. She did graduate work in dietetics at the Universities of Texas and Oklahoma and interned in hospitals in Newark, N. J. and Hackensack, N. J. She is a second lieutenant in the Army.

Captain Kendrick attended DeSalles University and the University of Toledo before entering the Army in 1941. He served 33 months overseas in Ireland, England, North Africa, Italy and France and is now on his terminal leave from the Army.

Immediately following the ceremony Captain and Mrs. Kendrick left for Chicago, Ill., for a wedding trip.

ANNETA CAGE HONORED WITH SECOND ANNIVERSARY PARTY

Mrs. Jack Cage honored her daughter, Anneta Lorena Cage, on her second birthday with a party at her home twelve miles west of Amarillo on Thursday evening.

Garden flowers furnished the decoration throughout the house.

The children played several games then sang "Happy Birthday Anneta" before she blew out the two candles on her cake.

Refreshment of cake, ice cream and punch were served to the following: Margaret Edwards of Hereford, Marilyn Kimball of Bushland, Dorothy Mae Roark of Wildorado, Myrna Lynn Shea of Amarillo, Jack Beale Baker of Wildorado, Billy and John Louis Shea of Amarillo, Thomas William Cage, Mrs. T. J. Baker of Wildorado, Mrs. M. E. Shea and Lorena Maas of Amarillo, Mrs. Raymond Kemball and Mrs. W. A. Farrow of Bushland and the hostess, Mrs. Jack Cage.

Those unable to attend by sending gifts were Misses Joanna Patriquin of San Francisco and Mrs. John Cage of Dallas.

SOCIAL PIONEERS HAVE ANNUAL PICNIC THURSDAY

Last Thursday evening, July 26, the Social Pioneer Club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Rose for its annual picnic meeting.

Although there was no planned program, Mrs. R. D. Lowry and Mrs. L. E. Simms entertained by giving readings.

The bountiful picnic supper was served from tables on the lawn with punch for the drink. Members and visitors present were Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Cluck, Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Slack, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Lowry, Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Steen, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Penick, Mr. and Mrs. E. Gidden, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dowd, Mrs. J. M. Craig, Mrs. Ed Harrell, Mrs. W. S. Wagge, Mrs. L. E. Simms, Mrs. W. S. Myers, Mrs. E. V. Holman, and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Rose and son, Kelly.

PLEASANT JOE 4-H CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. GRAHAM

The Pleasant Joe 4-H Club met Monday, July 30 at the home of Mrs. Walter Graham. Lapel pins started at the last meeting were finished.

New members were Elizabeth Ann and Shirley Jean Coconough, Thelma, Billie Ruby Lee, Peggy Joe and Johnny Faye Bonds.

Mrs. Coconough, Mrs. Graham and the sponsor, Mrs. Louis Hinders were present.

A few games were played before refreshments were served to the group.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Earl Davis on August 13.

HIGHLAND 4-H CLUB MAKES LAPEL BADGES

The Highland 4-H Club met at the Highland School last Wednesday afternoon.

Each member made a lapel badge out of old felt hats.

Those attending were Joanne Fulton, Dorothy Roark, Margaret Batenhorst, Mary Milhoan, Conita Parson, Betty Jo Cretsinger, Carol Janhsen, Margaret Janhsen, Laquita Cribbs, Mary Green.

The next meeting will be July 9. Anyone interested is invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Lowe and daughter, Billie Gen of Gruver were week end guests in the parental G. B. Combs home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. West of Amarillo were guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Combs Monday.

Tea Is Given For Miss Malone

Miss Tennessee Malone was honored Friday afternoon at a tea given by Miss Mary Moss Richardson, Miss Mattie Swayne, Miss Novella Goodman and Miss Ruth Lowes.

The beauty of the Phebe K. Warner Home Management House was enhanced by the abundance of summer flowers.

In the house party, besides the hostesses, were Mrs. J. A. Hill, Miss Katie McCluney, Miss Fannie Malone, Miss Pauline Rudy, Miss Georgia Bourland, Miss Jean Matthews, Miss Billy DeHart, and Miss Lennie Rose Martin.

During the hours, four to six, eighty guests called.

ERNEST W. SMITH AND MISS THAXTON ARE WED

The wedding of Miss Mary Louise Thaxton to Ernest W. Smith, both of Marlin, took place June 10 at 9 a. m. in the residence of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Thaxton of Littlefield, with Rev. Frank York officiating at the single ring ceremony.

White gladiolias flanked by graduated series of candelabra made the improvised altar. The tapers were lighted by Marilyn and Steve Smith.

The bride, given in marriage by her brother, W. C. Thaxton, was attired in grey and carried an ivory-backed Bible. Her shoulder corsage was talisman rose buds.

Matron of honor was Mrs. Stacy R. Hart, niece of the bride, who wore a lavender dress and a corsage of orchid carnations.

First Lt. Dale Foreman of Amarillo, nephew of the groom, was best man.

Following the wedding, a two tier cake, topped with a wedding bell, and iced spiced tea were served from a lace covered table. Mrs. Stacy was at the punch bowl and Miss Jean Anderson of Pampa served the cake.

The bride formerly was a teacher in the Littlefield schools, but for the past few years she has taught in Marlin.

The bridegroom, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. I. Smith of Canyon, is the assistant postmaster there.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith visited points in New Mexico and are now at home in Marlin.

Guests at the wedding were Mrs. Earl Smith and Melton Smith of Dallas, Mrs. Sue Ragan and Miss Earline Ragan of Perryton, Miss Jean Anderson of Pampa, Miss Phyllis Foreman of Amarillo, Marilyn and Steve Smith of Marlin, and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Elms of Littlefield.

MRS. BROWN HOSTESS TO PLEASANTVIEW H. D. CLUB

Thursday, July 26 at 3:30 o'clock the Pleasantview Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. M. B. Brown. Roll call was answered with wishes expressed by services men that the members know.

Plans were made for the lunch which is to be served by the ladies of the Pleasantview H. D. Club at the farm and dairy sale of Jack Middleton.

Refreshments were served to the following: Mrs. Henry Meyer, Mrs. Morris Abbott, Mrs. A. B. Haynes, Mrs. Tom Moore, Mrs. Albert Meyer, Mrs. Jim Bible, Mrs. John Jennings, Mrs. Earl Burtz, Mrs. R. N. Barrett, Mrs. Norman Cook, Mrs. Joe Currie, Mrs. Louis Hinders, Mrs. Cecil Simms, and hostess.

Next meeting will be with Mrs. Cecil Simms, Sept. 13.

PLUMBING CO. 1 YEAR OLD

This week marks the end of the first year for the Montgomery Plumbing Company to have served the people of Canyon.

Mr. Montgomery expresses appreciation to all those who have patronized his Company this past year and hopes to give better service next year than last.

Misses Annabelle Laughery and Wilma Jean Dickerson are spending a week's furlough in Canyon in the homes of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Laughery and Mr. and Mrs. William Dickerson. Monday the girls will leave for New York City, where they will be employed in Western Union offices.

Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Cash were two of their three daughters, Mrs. R. A. Dodgen of Shamrock, and Mrs. Pete Cowart of Amarillo. Mr. Dodgen and daughter were also here on Mrs. Cash's birthday, Sunday. Mrs. O. J. Laas, and daughters from Plainview visited earlier in the week.

Lt. E. Burroughs visited last week end with his mother, Mrs. E. Burroughs.. Lt. Burroughs has recently been stationed in Liberal, Kans., being sent there from Santa Ana, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Harte of Gruver visited Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Combs Monday and Tuesday.

He brushed his teeth twice a day with a nationally advertised tooth brush.

The doctor examined him twice a year.

He wore rubbers when it rained.

He slept with the windows open.

He stuck to a diet with plenty of fresh vegetables.

He relinquished his tonsils and traded in several worn out glands.

He golfed, but not more than 18 holes.

He never smoked, drank, or lost his temper.

He did his daily dozen daily.

He got at least eight hours sleep each night.

The funeral will be held next Wednesday. He is survived by 18 specialists, 4 health institutes, 6 gymnasiums, and numerous manufacturers of health foods and antiseptics.

He had forgotten about trains at grade crossings.

(Walnut Springs Hustler).

By an unknown writer:

Dream not too much of what you'll
do tomorrow,
How well you'll work perhaps another year;
Tomorrow's chance you do not need
to borrow—
Today is here.

Boast not too much of mountains
you will master,
The while you linger in the vale
below;
To dream is well but plodding
brings us faster
To where we go.

Talk not too much about some new
endeavor
You mean to make a little later on.
Who idles now will idle on forever
Till life is gone.

Swear not some day to break some
habit's fetter,
When this old year is dead and
passed away;
If you have need of living wiser,
better—
Begin today.

John Hutchinson was here from Hereford Thursday. He was discharged from the army at Camp Robinson, Ark., after being in for two months.

S 2-c Don Standley arrived Friday to spend a 10-day furlough in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred M. Standley. Seaman Standley has just completed boot training in San Diego, Calif., and will report there for further orders. He has been in the Navy since May 10, and was a member of the 1945 senior class at Canyon high.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hawkins have returned from Oregon where they went with the view of locating. They decided to return to Texas and will locate in Amarillo where Mr. Hawkins will continue in the insurance business.

Ruth Ann Bolton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Bolton, was returned home Tuesday afternoon from an Amarillo hospital where she was taken early last week because of pneumonia. She is reported to be recovering very satisfactorily.

Miss Nancy Geneine Bechtold spent the week end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Bechtold, Sr., of Amarillo.

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JAR CAPS, Complete for coffee jars, doz. 25c
JAR LIDS, for coffee jars, doz 10c

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FLOUR — Gold Medal 25 lbs. $1.19

TEA, Schilling's, ½ lb. 48¢
TEA, Schilling's, ¼ lb 24c
WHEATIES, Large Box 10¢

BLACKEYED PEAS Fresh lb. 15¢
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The Canyon News

Star-Telegram Staff Writer Gives High Praise to Canyon, College

Three weeks ago Mr. and Mrs. Jeff D. Ray of Fort Worth visited Canyon. Mr. Ray is a retired Baptist minister, who is doing considerable work on the Star-Telegram. He was sent out by his newspaper to obtain information regarding Panhandle towns.

"I chose only those towns which have good schools and good churches. Naturally, Canyon was on the list. I am not a Chamber of Commerce writer," stated Mr. Ray.

Mrs. Ray was a former student of Dr. J. A. Hill.

The article follows:

If a man wants to visit the interesting spots in the Panhandle he will not knowingly by-pass Canyon. The town gets its name from that truly marvelous gash in the bosom of the level prairie called Palo Duro Canyon. I asked a lady "What are this town's chief attractions? Somewhat alliteratively she answered "Climate, citizens, churches, college, canyon."

They say it gets pretty cold in winter, but they contend further that because of the dryness of the atmosphere one in Canyon does not feel the cold at zero, which it rarely reaches, as much as he would at 30 above in what they call "down state." In their summer, however, they may well glory. Their 3,500 feet altitude with an almost constant breeze (don't insult them by calling it wind) gives them a temperature, night or day, to be envied.

"No Man a Stranger"

The population is practically 100 per cent native born, nearly all white. They seem to have absorbed the independent, free-hearted, open-handed spirit of the pioneer settlers. One of their slogans is—"No man a stranger in Canyon."

I doubt there being a town in Texas with a 3,000 population having such inspiring and evidently expensive church buildings. They tell me that these were not the results of large gifts from a small group of rich men or from appropriations by denominational boards, but resulted from co-operative sacrificial giving on the part of the local citizenry.

I taught one of these pastors. If all the others are as good, the town is well equipped not only with fine church buildings but with good preachers.

Awe-Inspiring

You have no idea of its awe-inspiring magnificence till you have seen Palo Duro Canyon. You drive along a plain as level as the palm of your open hand, when without warning you come upon a gorge that seasoned travelers regard as one of the most spectacular scenes to be found anywhere in Texas. The National Park Service and the Texas Park Board have made of this formerly almost inaccessible gorge an easily reached recreation park. Doubtless the Indians knew it and utilized it but the first white man to set up shop in it was Colonel Goodnight—the colorful cow and buffalo man of the past generation. They show you his first "dug-out" and the primitive log cabin he afterwards built.

The West Texas State Teachers College had its first opening in 1910. It became a degree-conferring senior college in 1919 and gave its first M. A. degree in 1931.

In normal times the enrollment is around 1,200 with 85 teachers functioning in 23 departments.

In athletics, the college has made no great record in football and baseball but claims to have the most widely publicized basketball team in the world. The boys say "we have played three times in Madison Square Garden, have had three men on All-American teams."

Historical Museum

But perhaps the most striking of the 12 college buildings is the imposing structure that houses the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society Museum. The society, first organized in 1919, was chartered in 1923 for the purpose of "collecting, restoring and preserving historical and scientific data relating to the Plains region of the Southwest." The interest it has awakened is indicated by the fact that since its opening 12 years ago a third of a million visitors have registered.

Memories of cowboy days tingled my blood when I saw the horns of "Old Blue" that gay old steer of the JA Ranch who for eight years led one herd after another from Panhandle prairies across rivers and hills and through boundless plains to Dodge City, Kansas for market. The inscriptions shows that they were the gift of the late T. D. Hobart.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us during our recent bereavement, caused by the death of our dear brother.

Miss Sallie McGehee,
Brothers and sisters.

Seaman 1-c Charles SoRelle visited in Canyon over the week end with his mother and friends. Seaman SoRelle is stationed in Purcell, Okla., where he is training to be a naval gunner.

Visiting in the home of their grandmother for two weeks are Misses Margreta Langston, Gael Langston, both of Albuquerque, and Mary Frances Norman of Big Spring.

Mrs. Ray Cole was here Tuesday on her way from California to Dallas. Ray has been shipped to the Pacific war zone.

R. C. Hillier filled the pulpit of the Groom Baptist Church Sunday morning as guest speaker.

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Three of the six wives of King Henry VIII of England were named Catherine; two were named Anne; and one, Jane.

Daniel DeFoe, author of Robinson Cruesoe, was trained for the ministry.

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Vast Damage by Holland Flood

50,000 Acres Under 15 Feet Of Water After Nazis Blow Up Dike.

WITH THE CANADIAN ARMY, HOLLAND. — Air photographs have shown for the first time the full extent of the disastrous flooding by the Germans of the northwest polder of the Netherlands. What had been a 50,000-acre belt of rich farm lands now is a great black sheet of water 15 feet in depth.

Not a house or a tree or a road is to be seen—except for a few dark blotches to mark where some houses are 2 to 3 feet beneath the surface. No living thing could have survived this torrent that swept in from the Ijsselmeer (Zuider Zee) when the Germans dynamited the great main dike.

No Warning Given.

In this polder lived 15,000 Dutch farmers. There is nothing to indicate that the Germans gave them any warning or that there was any large-scale evacuation. This was one of the world's most modern farming communities. The polder was won from the sea in 1930 and planned settlement began immediately. The individual farms were laid out neatly and houses, churches and schools were put up to provide a model farming community.

For 15 years the development went on. In 15 minutes the Germans erased it. Now the waters of the Ijsselmeer are where they were in 1930, beating against the old sea wall. At any moment the Germans could loose them over additional hundreds of thousands of acres.

Air photographs taken a few hours after the great dike was blown show the waters flowing through the gaps and sweeping relentlessly across the polder. There is no sign of life anywhere, and only the broken main dike, which is 12 feet above sea level, remains to show that there ever was such a thing as the northwest polder.

Other Sections Flooded.

Some 600,000,000 cubic meters of water cover the land and the whole of West Holland lay at the mercy of the Germans at this writing. Already a total of 1,000,000 acres of farmland lies under the water released by the Germans.

The flooding along the rivers east of Amsterdam is quite different from that in the north, and the waters are only one or two feet deep. Most houses still are habitable, due to the present low level of the Lek, Waal and Meuse (Maas) rivers, which so far has frustrated the German attempts to flood completely the famed Dutch "water lines."

It is difficult to grasp the full implications of the disaster facing the Netherlands, as each new flood eliminates additional food producing areas.

So far the Germans have not blown a gap in the great causeway across the mouth of the Ijsselmeer, but they have made demolitions on the roadway on top of the causeway, presumably to block any attempt the Allies might make to get across.

War Dog and Master in Same Ward in Hospital

LUZON, P. I. — In a surgical ward of an American army field hospital attached to the 25th division, you will find in adjoining beds Cpl. Frank R. Oliver of Shinnston, W. Va., and Skipper of the war dog platoon.

Oliver has shrapnel in a leg, arm and shoulder, while Skipper has a bullet wound through his lower jaw.

The war dog was trained to be suspicious of strangers, and hospital attendants could do nothing with him until they moved his master, Corporal Oliver, into the next bed. Now both are well on the road to recovery.

Oliver and Skipper are veterans of Aitape, Morotai and Luzon fighting. Skipper is a 3-year-old German Shepherd Airedale.

Find Duce's Brain Was Ordinary, Health Fine

MILAN.—Only one-third of Mussolini's brain was saved from the fury of the Milan mob, Italian medical authorities said. The remaining segment showed no remarkable characterization, they said.

Prof. Mario Cattabeni, director of the medical institute of the University of Milan, who carried out the first autopsy of Mussolini's body, said that the Duce was in exceptionally good health and might well have lived to be 100 years old.

Cattabeni said that Mussolini had no ulcers and no symptoms of cancer, thus denying the 20-year-old rumor that the dictator was an ailing man.

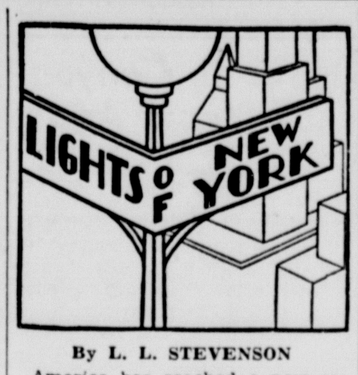
The professor also denied current reports that Mussolini was suffering from paresis.

Bread and Water Is Cure for Prisoners

RUPERT, IDAHO. — Two hundred forty-five German prisoners of war, after two days on a bread and water diet, have returned to work in southern Idaho fields.

Forty others, described as "ringleaders" in the no-work strike, remained in the guardhouse with plenty of water, but "not too much" bread.

Cruisers cost the U. S. Government an average of $12,500,000.



By L. L. STEVENSON

America has reached a new era in music, an era in which true American music whether it be jazz, swing or folk songs, really will come into its own. Such is the opinion of Jean Goldkette, Detroit orchestra leader. He holds that this country now is at the same musical period as was Russia in 1860 when Rubinstein appeared on the scene and organized the Imperial orchestra, symphonies and conservatories. Russian talent thus was given a chance to express itself and as a result, within a half century, Russian music dominated the world. America today, largely through radio and recordings, is the world's greatest music-loving nation. Given proper opportunity, Goldkette continued, American music, in its full color and idiom, will become known to the world and will form an essential part of the world's music.

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American music has been handicapped by lack of opportunity for expression, Goldkette informed me as we were lunching in the Hunting room of the Hotel Astor. In the beginning, jazz orchestras were small affairs with only 3 or 4 players. Now they have grown to 14 or 15 players. But to present American music in its true idiom and color, large organizations are necessary. America has excellent musical organizations, almost every city of any size having its symphony. But the symphonies are trained in the classical tradition — hence they cannot present popular American music in its true form. With his 55-piece orchestra, heard on the Mutual network on Saturday nights, Goldkette believes he has made a start. The orchestra is composed of members of the Detroit Symphony orchestra but under the Goldkette baton they play swing.

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"Up until a few years ago, an American singer had absolutely no chance at the Metropolitan Opera House," continued Goldkette. "He or she had to come from La Scala or Naples merely to get an audition. Today, American singers are coming into their own in grand operas and opera has not suffered in the slightest. The same thing holds true with American music. Our symphony orchestras have been giving us Brahms, Beethoven, Bach and the others. That is right since they are organized and trained for such music. But given the proper vehicle, it can be the same with true American music. That is the belief of Henry H. Reichhold, president of the Detroit Symphony, also—a belief so strong that he is backing my band."

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Curiously enough, this ardent devotee of American music was French born. But very early, Goldkette, who is now an American citizen, became an advocate of music of this country. In 1915, in New Orleans, he formed the Dixieland Jazz band, the forerunner of many such orchestras. In 1920, Charles Hughes brought him to Detroit from Chicago to play at the Detroit Athletic club. He rose rapidly in musical prominence and at one time had 28 bands of his own. "Goldkette alumni" are scattered all over the country and many have gone high in their profession. Among them are Tommy and Jimmy Dorsey, Russ Morgan, Joe Venuti, Victor Young (now Paramount music director), Charley Woolcott, (Walt Disney musical director) and many others. The late Bix Beiderbeck, the great trumpet player, around whose life "Young Man with a Horn" was written, also was once a Jean Goldkette player.

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Through listening to Betty Craig interviewing Evelyn Stefanson, wife of the famous Arctic explorer, Vilhjalmar Stefanson, on station WJZ the other day, I learned that Eskimos don't live in igloos but in sod houses made with ribs of whales; that Alaskan winters are no worse than those of South Dakota, and that the nights in Alaska are not six months long. Also that Fairbanks and Juneau, the chief cities, have more theaters, movies and restaurants than any city the same size in the United States and that Alaska has more natural resources than the Scandinavian countries.

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Mrs. Stefanson said further that Alaska, which has 80,000 inhabitants, can support 10,000,000 more and that many soldiers stationed there are eager to return after the war to establish homes and businesses.

Bell Syndicate.—WNU Features.

Give the Chap Credit, He Tried Hard, Anyway

SEATTLE. — When a department store sales girl asked E. J. Riley to catch a thief, the 21-year-old navy veteran set out in such vigorous pursuit he crashed through a plate glass door.

He captured a man — but he turned out to be a man who was also trying to catch the same thief.

Two civilians apprehended the right culprit.

The Texas Bluebonnet is poisonous and livestock shun it.

Richard Gilliam Writes of Iwo Jima Campaign

Mch. Mate 3-c Richard Gilliam, who is now serving with the Seabees on the Island of Iwo Jima, recently sent to his wife, the former Gwendolyn Phillips, a duplicate of a personal letter written by a member of the Iwo Jima National Guard Force to his parents in Japan. The letter was found and translated after Iwo Jima had been taken by American forces, and although undated, was probably written around Feb. 22. The letter is quoted as follows:

"Dear Parents and Family:

"I and my comrades have been diligent day and night, without faltering in our duties, but the time has now arrived for me to give the final measure of my loyalty to my country and love for my parents.

"Tears of joy and gratitude come to my eyes when I think of Mother's pains in caring for me to the day when I entered the service of our country.

"We have not been sure whether the enemy came merely to attack or to invade the Island which we are guarding . . . it has, indeed, been a 'war on nerves.' From about November 1944 until now, the enemy has made night attacks with up to about one hundred planes coming in as many as ten times each night, and we have fought him without having time enough left to sleep. This was not all. On 15 of February, our reconnaisance planes sighted a large enemy fleet (including battleships, cruisers and destroyers) and we of the Naval Guard Force on the island, hurriedly completed our preparations for its defense on the same day. At dawn on the 16th, enemy battleships, cruisers and destroyers began bombarding the island, while from the air great flocks of enemy planes blasted our lines. This was repeated many times by the 17th, the enemy landed on Minami Beach. Our brave and loyal forces achieved the feat of repulsing and destroying them, but the enemy, so rich in material things, poured a terrific fire of bombs and shells on our lines, and were able to land again on the 18th. The first line of trenches were overrun, and the 19th, 20th and 21st have been days of terrible bombing and fighting along the second line.

"During this time, I have been fighting in these next lines, and even while I have been engaged there, the enemy has gradually crept closer. Dear Mother and family, I shall repay as well as I can all my obligations to you by suffering here and I shall acquit myself well. Please all of you take good care of yourselves and do your utmost until victory comes. The battle is on. . . . I leave this, expecting to die.

Shozo Matsumura.

Envelope addressed to: Mr. Chimo Morita, Odori, Aeauchitake—Mura, Yosmida—Bucho, Minami Sa Tama—Gun, Saitamaakem."

Mch. Mate Gilliam has been on Iwo Jima since February, and has recently been promoted to his present rank from seaman 1-c.

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FOR SALE: Small air conditioner, easy to install. J. B. Rector, 2 miles north of Happy, on Vernon farm. 1p

BRICK FOR SALE: The Commissioners Court will open sealed bids for the surplus brick on the court house lawn, on Monday, August 13. The usual right of rejection is reserved. By order of the Court, A. H. Hunt, County Judge. 20t3

FOR SALE: Practically new baby buggy. See E. P. Faulkner at M. E. Moses. 17tf

FOR SALE: 100 ft. galvanized 1½ in. pipe; fruit jars, qts. and ½ gals.; umbrella tent 9½ by 11½ ft.; Reo automobile; 60 gal. Lubster with pump. J. N. Hileman, Reid's apt. east side of square. 20p4

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LOST: Pair child's gold-rimmed glasses. Somewhere in Canyon. Return to News Office. S. C. Woolsey. 22p2

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Reverend H. B. Gantz Will Preach Baccalaureate Sermon

Rev. H. G. Gantz

Reverend H. G. Gantz, pastor of the First Christian Church of Lubbock and President of the State Convention of Christian Churches, will deliver the Baccalaureate sermon to the summer class of '45.

Reverend Gantz is a graduate of Yale and has figured prominently in religious organization and leadtry for several years.

The subject of his sermon will be "You Must Be The World You Want."

The Baccalaureate Service will be held at 8:30 Sunday evening, August 5, in the main auditorium.

Pi Omega Reunion Held At Palo Duro

For one of the first reunions since the out-break of the war, approximately 30 present and alumni members of the Pi Omega Sorority journeyed last Saturday and Sunday to the Palo Duro Park for a Western "get-together." Mrs. A. M. Meyer, who has sponsored the sorority for 12 years, attended the reunion.

The girls met in Canyon, and left for the park late Saturday afternoon. Time was occupied at the canyons with picnicing, playing games, dancing, hiking, and horseback riding. After Sunday dinner, the girls returned to Canyon.

Alumni members attending the reunion were Louise Shirley, Canyon; Beth McCaslin, Canyon; Jean Kleinschmidt, Canyon; Peggy Williamson, Amarillo; Georgia Browning, Pampa; Irene Thompson Bright, Amarillo; and Mogie Routh McCray, Amarillo; Peg Hill Hohlaus, Amarillo; Coystal Tabor Stone, Canyon; Marion Miller, Canyon; Virginia Murray Blackburn, Amarillo; Rosa Cash Cowart, Amarillo.

Present members of the reunion were Carolyn Black, Canyon; Jean Hallmark, Amarillo; Margie Bauer, Boise City, Okla.; Ava Joe Moreman, Canyon; Jewell Brandt, Spearman; Juanita Simpson, Claude; Betty Lou Dromgoole, Dalhart; Roberta Medlen, Floydada; Fayrene Bolton, Ballinger; Sue Perry Holt, Harrold; Jane Campbell, Canyon; Audrey Lambdin, Amarillo; Opal Calliham, Conway; Billy DeHart, Claude; Mary Lee Abbott, McLean; Polly Winstead, Canyon; and Dr. and Mrs. A. M. Meyer, Canyon.

Miss Peggy Darnell To Wed Richard Bonaventure

Dr. F. M. Darnell has announced the approaching marriage of his daughter, Peggy, to Richard Bonaventure of New York. The marriage is to be in the Church of the Assumption in New York on August 25. Miss Darnell attended both West Texas State and North Texas State at Denton.

Dr. Darnall formerly was head of the English Department of W. T. and is now head of the English Department at North Texas State Teachers College.

The perfect man doesn't drink or smoke or swear; doesn't borrow from his friends and doesn't steal; doesn't make love to all the girls and overlord the men. In fact, the perfect man doesn't exist.

Doctors are so busy nowadays that lots of people get well before the date of the appointment arrives.

Breathes there a man with soul so dead, who's never ever turned his head—and said—"Hmm, not bad."

Next time misfortune strikes, remember the dog who lost his tail has one consolation. He holds no fear of tin cans.

Divorces are getting so common nowadays that the men are beginning to believe that all the women want to do is borrow the names for awhile.

Before you get disturbed over the increase in divorces, consider the fact for the great majority marriage is a completely new and different experience.

Judging from the amount of liquor seen in the dry states there must be a lot of snakes thereabouts.

Funds for the construction of the Statue of Liberty were contributed by 180 French cities, 40 general councils, many societies and thousands of French people.

News In Canyon 25 Years Ago

(Taken from the files of the Randall County News of August 5, 1920)

The city council is checking the tax rolls to see if there is enough property value to justify a bond issue for the street paving.

President J. A. Hill hopes that work on Cousins Hall will be completed by August 20.

S. B. Archer of Dumas is building a house east of the L. G. Allen home.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Higdon.

Two houses were hit by lightning and practically every transformer in Canyon was knocked out Sunday.

A. W. Blough will become postmaster September 1.

Price of wheat fell from $2.65 to $2.00 per bushel.

Miss Anna Webb Blanton, state superintendent, reports a shortage of 2,000 teachers in Texas.

J. S. Sluder and Miss Bonnie Franklin were married in Claude.

The Edward J. Neil Memorial Trophy, given annually to the boxer who did the most for boxing the preceding year, was awarded in 1943 to the 4,019 boxers in the armed services and those yet to take up arms.

Daniel Boone made his own coffin, which he kept under his bed until his death on September 26, 1820.

The first white boy born in Kentucky was Enoch, the son of Daniel Boone.

Paul Revere made the copper and brass parts for the first six ships of the American Navy.

Sir Isaac Newton, the great English physicist, was born on Christmas day in 1642.

Samuel Johnson wrote the novel Rasselas "in the evening of a week" to pay his mother's funeral expenses.

When Audie Murphy of Farmersburg, Texas, went into uniform he was told he was expected to fight. He did. Lt. Mprphy won all medals given by the Army.

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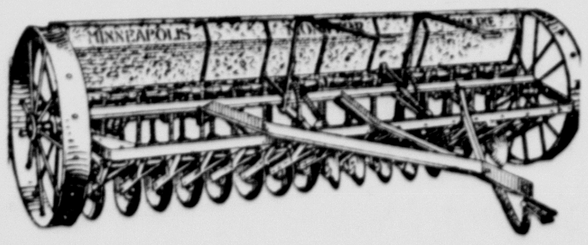

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With Miss Lyon in her company is Miss Jennie Gaudio, whose home is in Chicago. In 1933 Miss Gaudio started her musical career as winner of the Indiana University State Contest in violin. From that time on she has been the recipient of numerous honors in the concert field. In 1936 she toured with the Monte Carlo Opera Ensemble as violinist and soloist. Later she was soloist with the Sherwood Symphony Orchestra and then was also connected with the Sherwood Music School as a member of the faculty.

Mr. Krantz, the pianist and accompanist is an artist of merit and has been for many years pianist and soloist in numerous organizations and is known as a brilliant accompanist who submerges his personality in superb accompaniments.

RUBY SPENCER LYON

The program, which will consist of solo renditions by the three members of the company and ensemble numbers, is scheduled to begin at 8:30 in the Main Auditorium. There will be no admission charge other than the presentation of student activity tickets at the door.

Notes From County H. D. Agent

In answer to frequent requests for a soap recipe, the following receipe for making soap from cracklings or similar fats that can not be turned in to the fat salvage is submitted. Fats that can be salvaged should be turned in to the government; commercial soap makers use this fat and produce glycerine as a by-product. The glycerine is needed in the manufacture of explosives.

Crackling soap:

Mixing: 1 box of lye (16 oz.) and three gallons of water should be added to each 5 pounds of cracklings.

Boiling: The lye should be dissolved in the water, and as soon as the solution boils the cracklings should be stirred in and the mass boiled to the consistency of honey. (Use granite or iron vessel to cook soap in and stir with wooden or granite spoon or a paddle.

Testing: When nearly done, a small portion should be placed in a saucer and if it solidifies the mass should be removed from the stove.

Keeping: After removing from the stove, the mass should be poured into moulds to harden and set away in a dry, cool place until ready for use. It should cure at least 4 weeks before it is used.

Henry Hudson, who discovered the Hudson River, was set adrift by his crew and abandoned on June 22, 1611, in Hudson Bay. With him was his seven-year-old son and some sick sailors. They were never heard from again.

Juan Ponce de Leon, the Spanish explorer and discoverer, first made his way to the new world in company with Christopher Columbus, on Columbus' second trip.

The Gene Tunney-Jack Dempsey prize fight, held in Chicago on September 22, 1927, drew the largest gate receipts of any championship battle, $2,650,000.

Joe DiMaggio's record of scoring a hit in 55 consecutive major league baseball games, during the 1941 season, is the modern record.

The minor league record for hitting safely in consecutive games was made in 1919 by Joe Wilhoit of Wichita, in the Western League. His total was 67 games.

We are indebted to Daniel Defoe for the newspaper interview and the editorial.

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Trainer-driver Harry Pownall, 42, of Goshen, N. Y., poses Titan Hanover, bay son of Calumet Chuck, an 8-to-5 favorite to win the $50,000 Hambletonian at Goshen's Good Time Park Aug. 8. Pownall is one of the youngest reinsmen ever to have a top entry in the harness classic.

Wayside Items

Bro. Menefee and family have moved to Stinnett. The new preacher did not get here in time to fill the regular appointment Sunday but expects to be with us the first Sunday in August. We have not learned his name.

Uncle Jim McGehee died in an Amarillo hospital July 26 and was buried July 28 at Wayside. Rev. Crabtree, Methodist pastor of Happy, officiating. The floral offering was beautiful.

Bud Roberts who landed in the states a few days ago expects to be home this week.

Orsen Simpson of Channing and Forney Knighton of New Mexico attended Uncle Jim McGehee's funeral Saturday at Wayside Cemetery.

Mrs. Bernice McNeill of Wichita Falls is home after helping nurse her uncle, Jim McGehee.

Rev. and Mrs. Stuart attended church services in Happy Sunday.

A number from Wayside attended the funeral of Mrs. Patterson July 25 in Canyon.

Eddie Mahler and son, Cordell, are visiting relatives in Wichita Falls.

Mrs. Bertha Mahler, Robert Crow, Mrs. William Crow and son, Billy, Tom Payne, Darral Watson, Mrs. Bessie Lane and Mrs. Pat McGehee had supper at the Roadside Park near Canyon Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Patterson and children of El Seguendo, Calif. and sister, Mrs. Katherine McClure, of Washington, D. C. attended services at Wayside Sunday.

Social Security Must Be Notified When 65 Years Old

There is no possibility of loss of benefits under the old-age and survivors insurance program, said James L. Farmer, manager of the Amarillo office of the Social Security Board, if the wage earner in covered employment will report to the Social Security Board field office immediately after he attains the age of 65. This, he emphasized, is of great importance to the wage earner because he needs to know the requirements necessary in filing a claim for insurance payments. This also applies to the widow of a deceased wage earner; she, too, is requested to contact the nearest Social Security Board field office and ask for the manager or some member of the staff to give her information regarding the filing of claims.

It was pointed out that the Board is anxious to cooperate with claimants in every way possible to expedite the filing of claims. The claimant should notify the office as soon as possible after reaching age 65.

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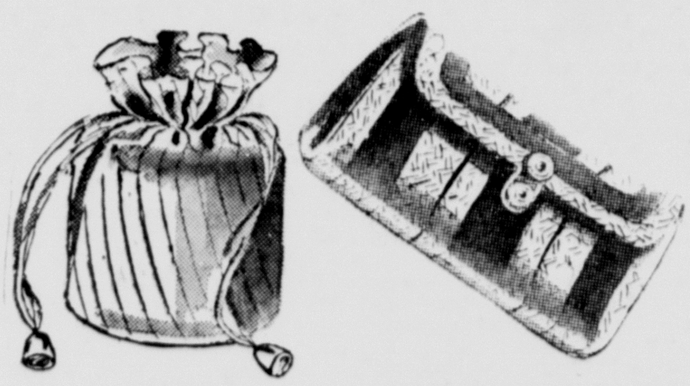

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Toilet **SOAP**

Coffee Folger's lb. 29c

Flour Gold Medal 25 lbs. $1.19

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SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, AUG. 3-4 — WE RESERVE THE RIGHT TO LIMIT QUANTITIES

White or Yellow **Squash** lb. 12½c

SPINACH Fresh Home Grown lb. 15¢

FRESH BEANS Home Grown lb. 17½¢

Sweet and Juicy **Oranges** 2 doz. 35c

Brimfull **Soda Crackers** 2 lb. Box 27c

Red & White **GRAPEFRUIT JUICE** Two No. 2 Cans . . . 25c

COCOA, Hershey's 8 oz. Box 10c

SUNSHINE FOAM Quart Bottle 65¢

Red & White **Flour** 25 lb. Bag $1.09

SEE --- RED & WHITE --- AD

In Amarillo Globe and News this week end for many more items. We will follow the Amarillo Red & White Ads so you can be assured that The Buffalo Food Store's prices are as low as Amarillo's grocery prices.

Red & White **Coffee** 1 lb. Glass Jar 29c

Quart Bottle **SUNSHINE CLEANER** . . . 60c

BAKING POWDER, Calumet, 16 oz. Jar 17c

APPLE SAUCE, Red & White, No. 2 Can 19c

TOMATO JUICE, 46 oz. Can 26c

Valley Rose, Extra Standard **TOMATOES**, Two No. 2 Cans 25c

RAISINS, Pel Pak, 2 lb. pkg. 25c

WHEATIES, Large Box . . 10c

VINEGAR, Red & White, Pure Cider, Quart 21c

VANILLA EXTRACT, Red & White, 1½ oz. Bottle 27c

ZERO, Quart Bottle . . 19¢

TENDERONI, per Box . . . 9c

TEA Red & White ½ lb. pkg. 45¢

TEA, Small Package 10c

Kleer Glass **WINDOW CLEANER** 8 oz. Bottle . . . 13c

NEW POTATOES Red no. 1's 5 lbs. 24¢

Meat Dept.

Beef, all cuts; Pork, all cuts; Lunch Meats; Cheese; Fish, Dressed Poultry.

United Nations Charter Subject of Rotary Talk

Virgil Henson spoke Tuesday at the Rotary Club luncheon on the United States Charter organization as adopted at San Francisco.

Fifty nations signed the charter and the United States was the third nation to ratify the treaty.

Mr. Henson presented a diagram of the Charter as he conceived it to be with the various interlocking groups, and the checks which were provided in the various functions of the group.

After a thorough study of the rather complicated set-up, Mr. Henson reached the conclusion that "It is gratifying that 50 nations could get together and agree upon such a charter. The will to make it work will depend upon its success."

Visitors were: Lt. Ernest Sykes, E. M. Myers, Milton Myers, Dutch Cleavinger, all of Canyon; Harvey Allen, Irving Tolzein, John McKnight, J. Frances Brown, Arch Hunsley, all of Amarillo; Harry Stephens of Plainview; Ishmael Hill of Lubbock; Bob Lindsey of Borger.

Clyde Warwick was complimented for his 35 years as publisher of the News.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express to all our friends and neighbors our sincere appreciation for all your thoughtfulness and deeds of kindness during the brief illness and death of our husband and father. Mrs. J. S. Cleland, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cleland and family, Lt. (jg) Bruce Cleland, Cpl. and Mrs. Gene Haliburton, Miss Anita Cleland.

Lt. Audie L. Murphy of Greenville and Farmersville, Texas, has more medals than any other man in the entire Army.

Speaker Sam Rayburn has announced there will be a 350 bed ex-servicemen's home in Bonham, Texas.

Leonard, Texas, honored its war dead by planting in memorial 25 trees at the juncture of two highways.

Lightning struck Abilene, Texas, four times in four minutes, causing four fires and one death on May 18, 1945

People in America, led by the New York World, contributed $280,000 to pay for the pedestal on which the Statue of Liberty stands.

Texas is the only state in the Nation which came into the Union after winning its own independence.

Fairview Breezes

There have been showers but no general rain in this vicinity.

Lavinia Amerson was on the sick list Sunday.

Visitors for lunch in the A. E. Wise home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wesley, Vesta Amerson, Evelyn and Anna Belle Schaeffer. Those coming in for singing in the afternoon were Mr. Spencer, Fred Braggs, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Tawes and G. E. Wesley.

Mrs. Chas. Sutton has been suffering from having her teeth extracted.

Miss Mary Edna Wise and Anna Belle Schaeffer invited friends of Evelyn Schaeffer and J. W. Wesley to a surprise birthday party in the J. W. Wesley home Friday evennig. Cookies and punch were served to the crowd.

Mr. and Mrs. Harney Rogers, Wyley and Kenton Wesley and Mr. and Mrs. Curly Myers are vacationing in Colorado.

Mrs. S. F. Sharpes and Etta Jean returned from Norton, Tuesday.

Charles Wilson, Uel Wise and Arlen Ray Wesley visited Troye Wayne Sharpes Sunday.

Texas Tech at Lubbock has the largest campus in the world.

There are 176,452 Texans enrolled for Naval service.

Rockefeller Center, in New York City, is the largest privately-owned business and entertainment center in America.

Two Texas war correspondents have been killed on the battlefronts.

Back Again

Radio Batteries

Eveready
Burgess
Ray-O-Vac
Zenith

Farlow Electric

OLYMPIC

"The House of Good Pictures"

THURSDAY - FRIDAY
Gary Grant— E. Barrymore
'None But the Lonely Heart'
Also News — Selected Shorts

SATURDAY
P. Singleton — Arthur Lake
"LEAVE IT TO BLONDIE"
Comedies—Serial

SATURDAY MIDNIGHT
SUNDAY — MONDAY
JOHN WAYNE — ELLA RAINES
"TALL IN THE SADDLE"
Also News — Selected Shorts
Sunday Show Continuous from 1:30 p. m.

TUESDAY - WEDNESDAY
Donald O'Conner — Peggy Ryan
"PATRICK THE GREAT"
Selected Shorts

THURSDAY - FRIDAY
LUM & ABNER
"GOING TO TOWN"
Also News — Selected Shorts